

LONG STORY SHORT



Meet the Pen Man. Richard is known far and wide as 'The Pen Man' and is a well-regarded long time stallholder at the original Eumundi Markets.

Richard uses a diverse and imaginative range of materials to craft his pens which include Australian and exotic timbers, marble, turquoise, snake skin, deer antler, carbon fibre, computer circuit boards and acrylics. The stone pens have a 24ct gold matrix through the stone.

The unique skill of Richards craft is that of his extensive range of approximately 200 pens, he is able to tailor make an original pen to a person's own hobby or interest. There are fountain, ball point, click, twist as well as the very popular bullet, rifle revolver and unique gear shift, kick start, lever, and bolt action pens.

"I am now in the very fortunate position of having many repeat customers. They know me and they know they are purchasing a product that is well made, local and beautifully finished. Often people come to the markets looking for a unique gift. When they see that my hand crafted pens are boxed and packaged, it becomes the perfect gift for either male or female, and affordable to post locally and overseas. I keep adding the latest trends to my stall so ensuring each and every customer always has something new to admire and consider." Richard said.

The Original Eumundi Markets are all about the stallholders, their stories, their skills and their passions to make a difference every Wednesday and Saturday rain, hail or shine.

For Richard's full story visit www.eumundimarkets.com.au



Eumundi Rotary Club



RYPEN 2022

Are you 14 -16 years old? Then the Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment (RYPEN) might be just right for you if you are interested in developing self-confidence, communication, leadership and social skills. Applications close 30 June.

RYPEN 2022 will be conducted at the YMCA Camp Warrawee, 81 Byrnes Rd Joyner QLD over the weekend 15-17 July 2022.

To talk about applying contact the Eumundi Rotary Youth Coordinator Greg Molyneux on 0431 222 597. He will provide you with an application form. Eumundi Rotary will sponsor the successful applicant so there is no cost involved.





Noosa Councillors support the campaign

Don't bottle it up

Five local Rotary clubs – Cooroy, Eumundi, Noosa, Noosa Heads and Noosa Daybreak – have joined forces in a campaign for PTSD and mental health and are registered as Rotary for Mental Health (R4MH). Launched by the Cooroy club on 16 May with an inspiring presentation by Dr Ben Isbel, more than 100 attendees learned about strategies for good health and mindfulness particularly within an ageing population.

Their focus will be a 'Don't bottle it up' campaign and they already have support from celebrities, politicians and sporting organisations. These include Noosa councillors who have given their strong support, Channel 7's Rob Brough, and football codes in Noosa, the Tigers, Dolphins, Pirates and the Lions. Sandy Bolton MP said the joint drive by the Rotary clubs represents a positive direction for our community. Wide Bay MP Llew O'Brien agreed that mental health is an area of significant concern and its impacts have been magnified by Covid. The campaign is raising funds for a major event during Mental Health Week in October.



I recently attended the Top Tourism Town Awards ceremony in Brisbane and I'm pleased to say that we were not only a finalist but rated very highly by the judges. Airlie Beach took out the main award for the Small Town category (our category), Winton for the Tiny Town Category and Mount Tamborine for the Top Town category.

The judges made a point of saying that the public vote determined the winner in this instance and the final winner came down to just a handful of votes!

For our next entry, we need to get every visitor, family, friend and colleague to vote for our town Eumundi!



We're very proud to be supporting the upcoming Sunshine Sounds Festival coming up 29th and 30th of July and the inclusion of our very own Eumundi School of Rock bands with \$15,000 in sponsorship funding. The Eumundi and District Community Association (EDCA) is also supporting this festival with an additional \$15,000 and it's so wonderful to see two community organisations supporting this incredible music event right here at the Eumundi Showgrounds.

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